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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Letter of September 27, 2001, filed herewith is a Declaration, signed by each of the inventors in the Application identified in caption, which sets forth the full facts concerning the making and conception of the invention.

An early action on the merits of the Application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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